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Augustana's Student Newspaper

March 28th, 1996

Augustana goes to the Grammys!



March 16th the gym was transformed into Hollywood. Tyler Pinder and Eric Prangnell hosted the evening. Read more about the night's experience on page 3 (Just open the paper. It will be right there.)

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'Voiders' should log out

All those who try to use a computer in the study lounge in the freshman dorm know what I'm talking about. Voiders. The freaks who, at any time of the day, can be found hunched over the computer screen. I have only two messages for them. The first, other people need the computer. Others would like to type essays, e-mail, or some other functions on the computers. Often one can come in here any time of the day and find at least one of them playing their mindless game. And is it they who get off for the other students? No. It is the ones doing e-mail, using wordperfect, using the computers for schoolwork that show the consideration for others. At first I thought that having a few games on the computer system wouldn't be too bad. But now, I see differently. Kill the games. Then perhaps some of those who have work can get it done. The other message? It's only 3 words long. Get a life.

James Jacobson

Goodbye and Farewell...

As this year is about to end, I tend to wonder where it has gone. For some of us, we will not realize it until the last day has come. For others, we realize that one day, we will have to face the awaiting moment. Saying good-bye is always hard. I can remember the first day arriving on campus. The car being attacked by O-Team, standing in line for registration, making the new room a cozier place to be, but most of all, meeting many new friends. Now all those memories seem so far away. Time still runs on and we move ahead. But the time has come to leave and you wonder if you'll ever experience anything like that again. To relive any of these moments. You look back to remember...and smile.

But since exams are coming up, do we really have time to reminisce about the past year? Scampering to finish tests, preparing last events, there is still a lot to do before the school year is over. Perhaps that is better because then we won't have time to think about leaving.

Remember all the memories? All the sick and perverted people you've met, seeing people walking down the hallway with just towels on, the "men-are-scum" and "women-are-bitches" days. Too much has happened to forget. Sharing those special

moments with that special someone. Having someone there for the times to cry. The sad times, the happy times, and especially the special times. The long talks until 2:00 am. Yes, it has been quite the year.

There has been many "firsts" experienced here. There are many things that are learned along the way. The year did not just consist of classes and homework, it is so much more. Things you have experienced here can never be experienced anywhere else. So take these extra learnings with you and never forget them.

The year may have dragged on and you've probably looked forward to these final days ever since that first exam. Now you're not sure if you're ready to leave. What is the one thing that is most precious, that you will miss the most when you leave Augustana? The friends, companionship, dorm-bonding, bar nights, independence, clubs, e-mail, they will all be waiting for us when we return. If we return. And for those, like me, who can't, I wish you well in your future endeavours and remember all the good times that have been created at AUC. So say those last good-byes, go to those last parties, enjoy yourself. And until next fall,

Message from the Editor:

Avalee Harlton
The Daglightale

ON BEING A WOMAN.

I could have been less pointed with that title, and called this "On being a human," but right now, I'm feeling more like a piece of meat that a human being, and unfortunately, in too many instances, women are treated more as objects than as valuable members of our society.

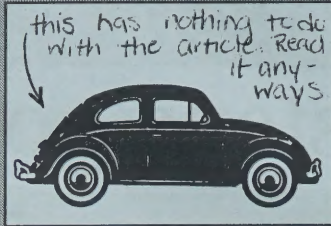
Every day, I am finding myself subjected more and more to degrading behaviours by those around me. These comments are rooted in sexism, but are never so overt. They end up manifested more as sexist attitudes towards women in particular. As of yet, at this university, I do not believe that I have been cheated out of an opportunity because of my sex, BUT, I do find myself treated as a piece of meat and generally as inferior-- someone that can be made the targets of cuts (meant as "jokes") by my male peers. I should qualify this. Not all of my male counterparts are sexist jerk ass sticks in the mud, AND THAT'S SO COOL, unfortunately though, there's enough of the negative behaviour for me to notice that something is very wrong.

MY NAME IS AVALEE, NOT SWEETIE.

In the week alone before this was written, there were several instances where I experienced directly or indirectly treatment of disrespect without justification (I might add that disrespect is never justified.) These events ranged from jokes and/or comments that cut me down, to being called a sweetie-- sorry, but my name is Avalee, and I'd like to keep it that way-- to being in the midst of a guy or two calling a woman (who was attempting to be treated as a professional) a "babe" and generally commenting on her looks. None of these events took place on an informal place, amongst friends or at a bar, but rather, took place in milieus that are meant to be professional-- in offices, and during meetings. Let me be blunt, I--and expect most others of my female peers-- WANT TO BE TREATED WITH RESPECT, NOT AS A PIECE OF MEAT.

So often this type of event occurs before one realizes it, and is able to speak up about it. Worse yet, many times these things occur and the person does not feel comfortable enough to speak up about it. Guys, you might think that this is absurd, and that your comments are "just jokes", but I'm afraid that this type of thing takes place all too often, and is not funny. Instead, it puts us down.

Guys, you don't do this in the same way to each other, and women don't do this in the same way to each other, so why does this still happen between the sexes? Insecurity perhaps. Attitudes amongst the sexes have recently taken a drastic change, in a short period of time. We no longer have clearly defined roles, and this can be a very intimidating prospect for a lot of people. By putting one person (or sex) down, it is a sort of immediate gratification. One can feel better about themselves. Unfortunately, it is at the expense of someone else. This is what needs to be stopped.



Thank you.

Sue Storvik.
VP External.

farewell. Also, listen to the advice that was given to me: do not mourn my absence, anticipate my arrival.

Le Duong

Change is necessary

In conjunction with the institution, the students' union is about to undergo a difficult transitory period. The drops in enrolment being experienced have reduced the financial base that the students' union functions on. This, coupled with this year's much needed upgrade of the Daglightale and Saga office system and the realization that the services being provided now have hidden maintenance costs, has resulted (in my own mind, at least) in a recognizable need for change. True replacement costs for SU-owned equipment and furniture in the Dag and Saga office, the main office, the executive offices, SUSSAL, and CLCR have not been addressed as they should have been in the past. This is going to cause a problem for the students' union in the future unless it alters its business patterns now.

My list of recommendations to next year's council will include the advice that all student's union-sponsored activities run on a complete cost recovery business plan basis. Students' associations all over the province are coming to the realization that a students' association cannot be simply a social convenor. Our movement in this direction is only natural as it follows patterns set by other universities and colleges.

Another of my recommendations is that new sources of revenue must be found if the SU is to support its level of services to the students of Augustana. This may mean that all of us, as students, need to volunteer. The good news, however, is that new sources of revenue may mean that the financial affairs will not be as much of a burden on the pocketbooks of the student body in the future.

I hope that the work that myself and many others have done will help to enhance the functioning of the future councils.

This is the clever shark, one last time, saying... I'LL BE OFF CAMPUS NEXT YEAR! YOUR ALL INVITED TO STOP BY FOR A BEER!!!! (B.Y.O.B. of course!)

O.J. Frankish
ASU V.P. Internal

Radio... Radio... Radio...

It was a very successful year at CLCR, and I would like to take this opportunity, on behalf of Lowell and myself, to thank all the students who did radio shows. It was your input and enthusiasm that kept CLCR on the air.

I would also like to congratulate Kenten Bowick who won the CLCR logo contest, and who received \$125. Thanks to those of you who submitted your logos.

I am told that the shirts with the CLCR logo are in the process of being made and will be for sale at the end of March for \$12.

If any one of you borrowed any music, etc., from the radio station, I would ask that you please return it A.S.A.P., because they are needed in order to be catalogued so that the students next year can enjoy them as well. One last thing, if for any reason you will not be continuing to do your radio show, please contact Lowell or I, and thanx again for your contribution.

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Variations on a Theme The Demoninational Forum

Kenten Bowick
The Daglightale

From the opening introductions, the Denominational Forum, held March 21 in the Chapel, promised to be an evening of intensive theological debate and doctrinal nitpicking.

The evening's host and organizer (and at times, referee), Vaughn Roste from Augustana's Campus Ministry, began the evening by introducing the nine pastors and representatives from a diverse spectrum of local Christian denominations, who were then given five minutes to describe their denomination's basic beliefs and doctrine.

Due to the diversity of the churches represented, there was a definite potential for controversy. Seated at the same table was the Roman Catholic Church, the oldest at almost two thousand years, and the United Church, one of the youngest present, at seventy-six years old. Also attending were two Baptist denominations, who believe

in the separation of Church and state, and the Anglican Church, which merges church and state so much that the head of the Anglican Church has always been the reigning British monarch, currently Elizabeth II. The other participants were from the Mennonite, Pentecostal, Lutheran, and Church of God denominations.

The short presentations went relatively smoothly, with strictly adhered to time limits, although at times the speakers were cut short even when they were in the middle of something tremendously important to explaining their perspective.

The floor was then opened to questions. The participants spoke usually within their time limits on topics such as the separation of church and state, adult versus child baptism, communion traditions, the church's role concerning the poor and the environment, and how each denomination sees challenges to their faith.

Many interesting things were learned about the

various denominations. For example, there seems to be more diversity within the Anglican Church itself than there was among the entire group, and the United Church revealed that they are "in the middle of the road" on many issues, with the result being that "sometimes we don't know where we are."

As each representative spoke, what became more clear than anything was how much each denomination had in common. Thus the evening billed as a "debate," instead became a friendly discussion. More than anything, the forum revealed that there are only subtle differences between Christian denominations, and that many are working to strengthen the ties between them. That goal of Christian unity, of bringing the various Christian churches together, rather than emphasizing differences, proved to be what the Denominational Forum was all about.

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This Year's Formal a Success



Amanda Cardinal

The formal was a grand event. Over 550 people came to enjoy a delicious meal and great entertainment. The theme of the formal was the Grammy awards and the hosts of the show were Eric Pragnell and Tyler Pinder. The decorations were fabulous and great thanks goes out to the Formal coordinators Shawna Comazzetto, Gina Medaugh and Helen Hedeman.

The ladies received roses on the way into the



gym (sorry guys, no roses for you. Maybe next year) to complement their fabulous looks while the guys enjoyed staring at the young women (us young women stared back of course). A dance was held at Rumours (who-hoo) which was also decorated, where everyone went to dance and have another great time.

This year's formal was a tremendous success and it was said by several faculty and staff that it was the best formal ever! It was indeed the greatest event of the year.



Newest Augustana Students Boast Higher Grades than Predecessors

Ken Frederick
The Daglightale

The new students who came to Augustana University College for their 1995-96 academic year are an especially brainy bunch.

One hundred of them--that's 31.4%, almost one-third of the 319 new students--entered with an academic average of 80% or better. Last year, only 55 of 350 new students could boast such grades.

In fact, 8.8% of this year's newcomers had at least a 90% average. That's far and away more than last year, when a mere 1.1% reached or exceeded that figure.

Coincidentally, the percentage of new students with less extravagant grades has decreased: 19.1% came to Augustana with a 60%-to-69.9% average. This is down appreciably from the last several years, when comparable figures ranged

from 24.3% to 34.6%.

One reason for this turnaround is an early-incentive program: scholarship guarantees of up to 50% of tuition are offered to high school students who complete grade 11 with high marks.

In this way, Augustana and bright high schoolers now commit to each other early on, while universities elsewhere wait with their offers of admission for grade

12 marks to be determined. Most always, students who do well in their penultimate year, do admirably the following year.

(This may help to account, as well, for the fact that the percentage of new applicants who ended up actually coming to Augustana--it's 62.3%--increased noticeably: the figure is 4.1% greater than was last year's.)

Statistics which report

the total student population (of 839) bring to light another change at Augustana.

This academic year, the university has more Canadian students than before from places outside Alberta: 19.75% vs. 15.1% last year. There are 64 from Saskatchewan, 32 from British Columbia, and 52 from elsewhere in Canada. This latter figure includes 14 students from Ontario, which is more than double

the number from the 1994-95 year--then, only half-a-dozen students enrolled from Canada's most populous province.

It's Augustana policy to add more Canadian students from beyond the provincial borders. That's why an admissions staff member spent a few months in Ontario last year--which must account for the influx of Ontario students.



Kiwanis District Governor, Alex Nahachewsky, presents Augustana Circle K'er Michelle Kennedy with the award for Club President Achievement at the 1996 Western Canada District Circle K Convention in Camrose.

Circle K Club Wins Awards

Clayton Bergquist
The Daglightale

On March 8-10, Western Canada Circle K Clubs converged on Augustana, the U of A, the U of S, and the U of C, as well as Kiwanis club members from Wetaskiwin, Edmonton, Saskatoon and Calgary. The weekend was filled with inspiring workshops, stimulating board meetings, great food, exciting contests, and the election of a new district board.

The convention was a very enjoyable event for all who took part. On behalf of the Western Canada District, the Augustana Circle K Club would like to thank those members of the Augustana community who assisted in making the weekend a success. Thanks to Erhard Pinno for delivering a welcoming address, to

Professor Mac for leading a session on stress management, to Rob Ford for unlocking the rooms for us so early in the morning, and to the residents of Marken for sharing their living space.

The highlight of the convention for Augustana came during Saturday's banquet at the Silver Dragon Restaurant, when Michelle Kennedy was honoured as the best club president in the district for 1995-96. Later that evening, the Augustana club won the talent award for a dazzling duet performance on handbells and piano by Virginia Hink and Michelle Kennedy. Congratulations Augustana!

The successful event proved very effective in inspiring enthusiasm for Circle K in the coming years. Next year's convention will be hosted by the U of S club in Saskatoon. If you would like an opportunity to practice your service and

leadership skills, come to the meeting at 4:15 pm on Thursday, April 4 in the F & L Lounge, and find out how you can become a Circle K member in 1996-97.

The Augustana Choir

Marc A. Hafso, Director

One of the oldest choirs in Western Canada, the 48-member Augustana Choir has an active touring tradition; it has performed throughout Canada, the United States and Europe.

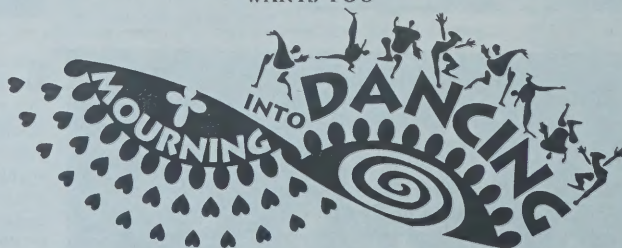
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Augustana Cross-Country Skiers Continue to Dominate League Play

Ken Frederick
The Dagligtale

In cross-country skiing, Augustana University College again has dominated league play. And again and again.

In Alberta College Athletic Association championships at Lac La Biche earlier this month, Augustana swept the field: the Vikings took gold in all three events--the men's, women's, and mixed relay races. Their aggregate score was 97.4, almost double the total of the second-place team from Red Deer College, which scored 52.5.

The gold, silver, and

bronze medals for men's and women's individual performance were captured, all six of them, by Augustana student-athletes. In fact, the university's women players took the top seven spots; the men could have made the same claim, had not a skier from the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology managed a fourth-place finish.

What's more, the men's and women's rookie-of-the-year awards both went to Viking players.

If competitors had thought that Augustana's predominance would end with the retirement last

summer of coach Garry Gibson, they'll have to think again: it looks as if his protegee, Morton Asfeldt, will be carrying on his winning ways.

It was Dr. Gibson, now a professor emeritus, who, in 1973, introduced the cross-country skiing program at the university in Camrose.

"Since the program was formed," reporter Dan Jensen has written in the Camrose Booster, Augustana "has won more Alberta Colleges Athletic Association ski championships than any other educational institution" in the province. It "has no equal in terms of its ski program."

President to Re-energize Augustana

David Shield
The Dagligtale

Rev. Husfloen kindly took time out of his busy schedule to talk to us, especially since he knows how hard we work. Yeah, right.

Anyways, Rev. Husfloen seems to be very excited to come to Augustana for a number of reasons. Husfloen believes Augustana to be a first rate school, and he likes the challenge of maintaining Augustana's reputation. As well, he says that Augustana has had a great history, and thinks that it will have a great future.

Husfloen decided to become a university president because of his long history with academic institutions, as well as the challenges and excitement that the job brings. Rev. Husfloen also said that it was "invigorating" working with both intelligent scholars, and intelligent students. He says this creates a very unique environment to work in. He also said that this is a fascinating time to be in university, because of all the new technology that is available.

The changes Husfloen will be making are basically those of meeting the new standards set by the government, as well as bringing Augustana into the 21st century by upgrading our computer technology.

Husfloen seems incredibly interested in all the facets of the internet, and the rewards that it can bring to Augustana.

As for Augustana enrolment, Husfloen claims that enrolment is down everywhere because of population shifts. However,

that does not mean that he will not be combating this problem. Husfloen wants to make the admissions program here more aggressive to recruit a greater amount of students. He wants to make Augustana known especially among its supporting churches and the surrounding area. He says he will do this by making the 'pluses' of Augustana better known namely the personal attention from teachers and Augustana's Res Life.

Injecting Alcohol into a campus has had negative connotations.

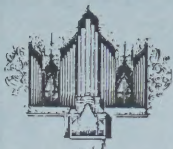
Husfloen believes the greatest challenge facing Augustana presently is to become financially stable, and to recruit more students. He believes that in this age of government downsizing, one major way to become financially stable is to seek out major donors. Husfloen says that, "this is a difficult, but not impossible challenge. We must all work together on this."

As for his comments on the dry campus rule, Husfloen hasn't formed a definite opinion, since he hasn't really started yet. Still, Husfloen can see the advantages in a dry campus. He said that universities "owe students a safe, healthy, working environment, and that alcohol can inhibit this." Husfloen believes that all of society should responsibly use alcohol. He believes that this policy helps

students to be more responsible, and that usually injecting alcohol into a campus has had negative connotations. As well, there is the fact of the schools' legal liability to its students with an alcohol campus.

Husfloen believes that the new library is a priority item in Augustana's future. He says that, "the new library should be as complete, high-tech, and current as any library should be." He says that, "we have a good librarian and a good plan", and that it is important that we all work together to drum up funds.

To conclude, Rev. Husfloen said that his job should be an enjoyable experience and that "something special happens at Augustana, and I feel privileged to lead it."



ORGAN STUDENT RECITAL

Organ Students from the Augustana Music Conservatory perform in Friday evening recital.

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Rocky Road a Success!

Amanda Cardinal
The Dagligtale

There is nothing like a giant mound of ice-cream where you can grab a handful and put as much of it as you can in your mouth and on your face... if you're a kid. Approximately 800 children were in and out of the Coffee House, showing the popularity of this event.

Face painting, balloon

making, people dressed up in colourful costumes, games and of course the main attraction ICE-CREAM, were all wonderful entertainment to the children who came out last Sunday, and had a great time playing and eating. Many were sorry when their parents told them it was time to go and some stayed until the very end.

The event lasted all afternoon with children

running in between peoples feet with sticky fingers. One little girl had such a great time that she decided she wanted to take some of the toys for the kids to play with, home with her.

It was a great event that Augustana is well-known for in the Camrose community. Everyone who helped put on this event had just as much fun as the kids, eating ice-cream and playing games.

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 Number of Votes Cast: 402
 Percentage of Voter Turnout: 52.1%
 Spoiled Ballots: 42

PRESIDENT:

<i>Karen Leblond</i>	<i>Yes Votes</i>	<i>306</i>	<i>79.1%</i>
	<i>No Votes</i>	<i>81</i>	

VP EXTERNAL:

<i>Amber Gross</i>	<i>Votes</i>	<i>173</i>	
<i>Eric Prangnell</i>	<i>Votes</i>	<i>219</i>	<i>55.9%</i>

VP INTERNAL:

<i>Mike Walsh</i>	<i>Yes Votes</i>	<i>318</i>	<i>80.5%</i>
	<i>No Votes</i>	<i>77</i>	

VP FINANCE:

<i>OJ Frankish</i>	<i>Votes</i>	<i>189</i>	
<i>Angela Smalley</i>	<i>Votes</i>	<i>210</i>	<i>52.6%</i>

THIRD YEAR REP:

<i>Gina Medaugh</i>	<i>Yes Votes</i>	<i>92</i>	<i>87.6%</i>
	<i>No Votes</i>	<i>13</i>	

INTERNATIONAL REP:

<i>Duncan Wambugu</i>	<i>Yes Votes</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>81.3%</i>
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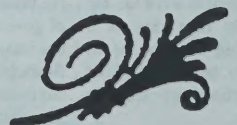
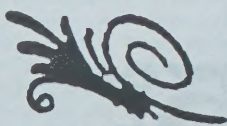
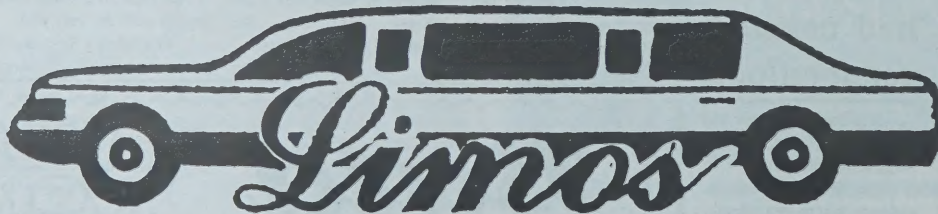
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As Our Heads Spin

This year's last instalment or Augustana's continuing saga

Avalee Harlton
The Daglightale

The love between Tom and Judy would last for quite some time. The night of the formal would not be forgotten by either of them, both of them receiving several compliments on their grooming that evening.

A few weeks later, they went together to check out the comet together. "Ahhh... it's so beautiful. I just wish that I could say its name," commented Tom.

"It doesn't matter Tom, since I'm here whether or not you can say the name of the comet, just as long as I'm standing here with you while I see it..." And the two were lost together in each other's embrace.

Just then, a shooting star flew across the sky. "Oh Judy! I don't even know what to wish for, I'm standing here watching a comet, and I have a wonderful girl standing at my side. What more could a guy ask for than that?"

"Ohhh Tom..." and so went the pukey love scene.

The rest of the term went by without too much stress, except for one or two incidents... but they were isolated, and the EMS only needed to be contacted about one of them. Their bliss lasted and their love continued, even though the pair now had to deal with the trauma of no longer living a close minute's walk away from each other. Each of them moved back home, after a teary eyed goodbye. "Ohhh Tom. What are we going to do? You're going to be living on one side of town, and I the other. How will our love last?"

"That's okay Judy. Where we come from, they have a

thing called public transportation. It will take me to you, no matter what the time, as long as it fits into the daily schedule."

"Tom, it is such a relief to hear words of reassurance like that from you. I can now go home, and know that until we meet again, you'll only be a bus ride away."

And so, the summer began. Tom and Judy each took jobs tree planting. It seemed that they were having a hard time living apart. This would mean that they would be able to spend a gruelling summer in pain and exhaustion together. What more could a couple want?

About half way through the summer, a bear alert notice was brought to their attention. Although each knew what to do, they stayed extra alert. Tom and Judy's team went off as usual that day, and kept an eye out for ol' Smokey. Late in the afternoon though, when the crew was getting tired, a bear appeared in front of Tom. He backed away, and the bear approached. Tom moved to his right, and the bear moved to its left. There was nothing he could do. Judy turned around, just as the bear took a swipe at Tom with its left paw. She let out a scream, and the bear ran away. "Oh! Tom! Are you okay?" Judy then called to a crew member to go get help. She held Tom in her arms, as he laid there bleeding, and becoming faint.

"Judy... I... love... you."

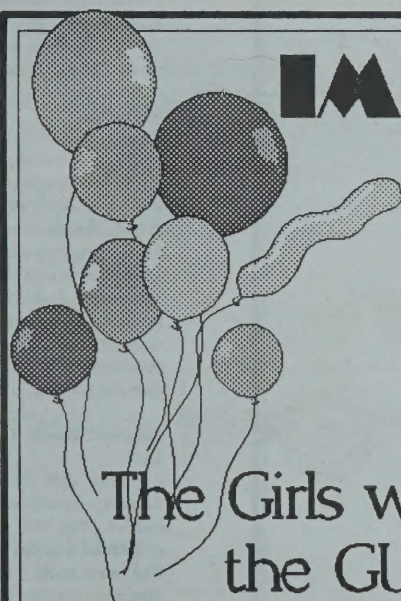
"You'll be fine Tom..." Tom was fading in and out now, he had lost too much blood. "Tom? are you okay? Tom? Tom?" she now was having a hard time keeping him coherent. "Tom," she said, "I love you too..." just as he lost consciousness.

LOOK!!!

A CONTEST!!!

It's this year's last chance to win!

Over the course of this year, the Dag has been critiqued for the number of typos that it manages to publish (Hee hee oops!) To win this last contest, you must correctly count the number of (Hee hee oops!) typos. Submit it to the Dag office (F207, for those of those who haven't visited it yet,) along with your name, and a way of contacting you, by April 4th. What do you win? Augustana's hottest commodity, a double guest pass to the Bailey's Theatre.



IMPORTANT NOTICE

We are going back to 2 FORMALS!!!

The Girls will be putting on a FORMAL for the GUYS in the fall and we need coordinators. If you are a GIRL and and interested in being the FALL FORMAL COORDINATOR please pick up a application form from the SU Office 203.

Applications Deadline APRIL 12th, 1996

The Dag Rates the Coffee Experience

Erik Bjorgan
The Daglightale

The year is almost over and exams are not far off. Since we all need to be a little more awake around exam time in order to pull off late night/early morning study sessions, we decided to go out with a bang. A caffeine bang that is.

As I ventured down the aisle that has kept me alive for the last 7 months with my wallet in my hand, I looked around and decided that today was the day for me to expand my horizons. Time to find out what Mocha and 'au Lait' and Cappuccino and Espresso

and all these other exotic caffeine transmission media tasted like.

So, after going through the checkout line with my heap of coffee and dealing with the strange looks the cashier kept giving me, I walked back to the car with visions (or were they hallucinations?) of caffeine induced bliss floating through my head. As I am writing this, it is the morning after. I can only assume the taste test happened as there are a stack of rating sheets on my desk. I recognize the writing on some of them as mine, but last night is a blank. That espresso. You know what? That stuff is pretty

good stuff. You have to use like three packages of it to get a full mug, but still... It's pretty neat.

Well, without further ado, here it is: From best to worst, here it comes:

Higgins & Burke Gourmet Selection Butter Pecan

This brand ranked highest overall because of two things. It smelled good and it tasted good. It smelled buttery, we were interested in this brand before the pot was even through brewing. That is more than we could say for some of the other brands. As far as flavor goes, with a touch of sugar this coffee tasted like it was well

worth the money.

Nescafé Café Mocha

This brand didn't have much of an aroma which we found typical of instant coffee, however, it didn't disappoint in the flavor department. There were some complaints by some of the more hardened coffee drinkers that it tasted like hot chocolate, but in general the experience was very good. The general consensus was that it tasted better with a little sugar.

Nescafé Café au Lait

Nescafé outshone its competitor, Maxwell House, in its attempt at instant Café

au Lait. It was creamy, fairly rich, and quite good. There was a fight over who would get to keep the leftovers.

Nescafé Cappuccino

Maxwell House-- sorry, but Nescafé's cappuccino was simply better. Oh, and sprinkles? It tasted a lot more like coffee than Max'.

Higgins & Burke Gourmet Selection Irish Creme

This brand wasn't bad. Aroma-wise it was a bit of a turn off but not as bad as the mint chocolate variety. It tasted all right though the extra cost involved made it not worth buying.

Higgins & Burke Gourmet Selection Hazelnut Vanilla

Hazelnut Vanilla's rating varied immensely from person to person. One of our panel rated it as the best we tested, another thought it was the worst coffee we tried. For good results, sugar was necessary. One of our panel commented that it had a very good vanilla aroma, but the coffee didn't taste like vanilla. Hazelnut vanilla is worth a second look.

Maxwell House Espresso

Mmm, espresso. This brand varied greatly in rating from person to person, however, espresso isn't exactly known for its delicious flavor. You could strip furniture with this stuff. One member of our testing panel tried to abstain from testing. I don't really understand what the big deal was - it tasted just like my regular coffee (The secret, in a drip coffee maker, is to use multiple filters to slow the flow of coffee long enough for it to soak up extra flavor). I wasn't too impressed by Max' espresso. It tasted okay but the servings were too small. 75 ml? Come on!

Maxwell House Cappuccino

You know there is a problem with a brand when it rates consistently lower than its nearest competitor. Max Cappuccino wasn't very good. It came with chocolate sprinkles which was probably the only thing that made it worth drinking. It didn't taste much like coffee, that was for sure.

Maxwell House Café au Lait

Max' café au lait was vaguely reminiscent of coffee, but the general consensus was that it tasted like wax milk. Imagine drinking a big glass of 'milk' that was really just water and coffee mate and you'll get the picture. It was the wrong color and tasted odd. Not something that we'd recommend trying.

Higgins & Burke Gourmet Selection Chocolate Mint

Two words. Yu Ck. This stuff had a 'mint' aroma that was more like pine-sol than anything. It didn't taste like chocolate at all and the mint flavor was a bit like toothpaste. Sugar helped this a bit but the smell... Not something you'd want to wake up to, that's for sure.

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MINKSY WALLET SNATCHERS ON URANUS

As my corderoy shoes from the cosmos
Become engrossed in ample fried chicken
I wonder how we can snert an obstacle course
In the grips of yonder blonder - flies?
Are they from URANUS?

I shave my back and knit an energetic rug,
as my Uncle Marv flosses his nostrils with a garden hose,
and sings "Kumbaya-Rockabilly" upside-down from a snicker whip,
as Aunt Frieda plays "kick the can" in the library with Martians,
But I think they're from URANUS.
(are they?)

"Oh how I wish the raggedy spool chuckers
could understand my undertowled gong-gangs," asked Boris von Draco
as he searched for a rhyme with the word "orange"
Could it be a daisy?
Or perhaps something hazy?
A laybee, a shrieksee, or even a hairyknee?
It could be from URANUS, definitely maybe!

"Where de hell am I!" I ask myself as I contact Mork from Ork with a
spool from de yum yum tree,
"I don't know" I answer in a raspy notion with a side order of big-ass fries,
you know the kind that scream "Hey punks, look at me!"
In morse code from URANUS

Then the horn-snicklers searched for their lost puppy-cats
-ON THE HORROR OF IT ALL
I CAN'T UNDERSTAND MY OWN MIRRORRED P____,
I CAN'T BELIEVE THAT IT WAS BORN ON URANUS

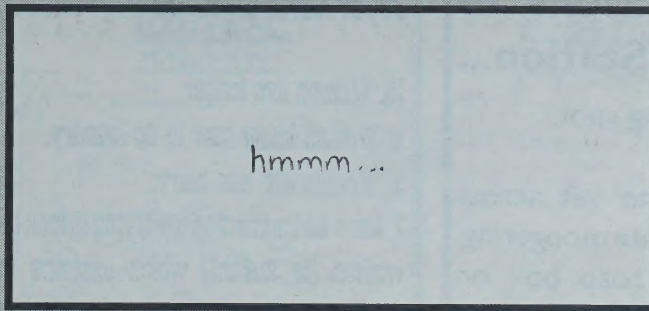
CAN YOU?
WITHOUT REASON OR RHYME BY BRAIN EXPLODED,
WHY YES IT DID
YES IT DID

NYET
-the wandering veenerschladders

The Day After Yesterday

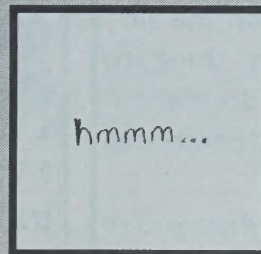
the flag waves in the wind
and the song I can't sing
burns the man on the lonely road of time.
the wind whispers her name
as I drowned once again
to the thought of a child, far behind.
[love is blind]
tomorrow wait for no one
but the sun.
[in my eyes]
blinding all who care to stare
(the fallen bird is bringing flies).

S.R. Olson



Holding on
to dying possibilities
like sand
through the hourglass of my fingers.
In hopes
that the past will return
and what is
will not be.

Amber Hughes



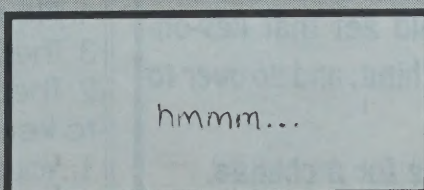
Fire

As an ember starts to rise
A fire starts to burn
As the fire starts to blaze
Then we begin to learn
That the fire is an animal
Uncontrollable it can turn
Rising higher to the sky
So it cannot return

The fire is a living thing
As it burns into our fears
As the world begins destructions
And sets off all our fears
Now nobody can judge
Why the fire is so queer
As we look into the blaze
Of all our living years

Fire in an open place
Can warm and comfort me
But if it does not warm my soul
Then what's a flame to be?
The fire cannot be controlled
My soul can turn the key
A never ending fire burns
It burns inside of me.

Le Duong



I cry out
And am ignored
I wander
Thinking the words
Of some long-dead poet
Wondering
About the entire reasoning
Behind the creative destruction
Of love
Of hate
Of loneliness
Of all the unknowns in this
Randomness
We call existence
Why?
Because there are no answers
Because this sad sad joke
We call life
Laughs at us
Taunts us
Shows us what we can never have
Dangling her just out of reach
Cursing us with her beauty
Destroying us with her
Breath

Robert Genaille

Subject: Goofy Larry's Dreamscape

As the noodling yardmonkeys enter the bewitched mouse catcher
Aunt Harriet bends her stirring weedwhacker 2000 twice
Not thrice
Just once
And begins to yerdle a new language for packed up timber gnats

She does not like the process of jartflying a kite knitter
During the season of an oof named GOOFY LARRY
You know, that guy Terry beat the living yak out of
And then hung up smelly clean trouser shirts to wet in the moon

"Where do I snert from here?" asked the tortoise to Jim Bawway
"I could not tell if I was a pickled herring" retorted the big guy
Oh baby oh baby oh, querted the squeedling
The Queen Squeedling to be f'n exactomundo, NYET

To graft or not to graft?
Is that the flipping question to beer filled elevators?
Swimming in a streambed of Woolly Whatzits from the land of OG
While stalactiles spring from frozen pigburgers
Piercing a noodlelike germ snoggler teetering at the edge of twilight

That's when Johnny Spoonhead comes out of the tunnelled cocoon
Beneath the underground culvert, but yes,
ABOVE THE OVERLAJD GNOME NESTED YARDMONKEY LAJR
Oh, the horror the horror
The lair of doomed pretzels and nuts and bott lickers
Will things ever be the same?
I ASK YOU WJLL THEY?

Goofy Larry doesn't think so
(you know, the guy Terry met in the blender)
And then pulled the cheese gobbler machine over his red blue eyes
And said "Glory to my yakwarkis"
In German Latin, of course

I think I will NOT use metal on teflon cookware ...

NYET

-ANONYMOUS

Top 10 Reasons to Save Radio Station...

10. Good drinking spot.
9. Free CD's.
8. 'Nice forum to get across personal views; hate mongering.
7. It's the only soap box on campus that the SU hasn't taken over.
6. Reg & Neal dig it.
5. Chicks listen.
4. Neal says 'penis' on the air.
3. It's the closest thing to something cool to do without going to Calgary. (Edmonton sucks.)
2. We sound good when you're smokin' up.
1. We've got a whole bunch of electronic stuff that needs to be used!

Top 10 Advantages to Being Female...

10. Women live longer
9. Women know how to do laundry.
8. Women are less hairy.
7. More and more men are trying to look like women (ie RuPaul) which explains the phenomena of transvestites, crossdressers and transexuals.
6. Women don't scratch themselves in public.
5. Women DON'T have penis envy. Men have breast envy.
4. Women don't name their body parts.
3. Women don't have the barbaric urge to brag about sexual conquests or how much beer they can chug.
2. Women don't need a remote control to be in control.
1. Women think with their brains. Men...

Top 10 Reasons to Read the Dag...

10. It makes your fingers all black.
9. Lots typos thrown in for fun
8. You can read what's on the radio so you know what it is you're NOT listening to.
7. Off-campus students can find out what was happening while they were at home with a hangover.
6. On-campus students can find out what was happening while they were in their room with a hangover.
5. "Roxy" and "Chaotica University". They don't show up often, but hey, at least they try.
4. If you're lucky, you just might win the most sought after commodity on campus-- a double guest pass to the Bailey Theatre!
3. You might learn how to write more good.
2. Two words: Stone Henge.
1. It's free free free!

Top 10 Things to do With Your Old Dags...

10. Recycle them.
9. Read them over and over, and quiz your friends on past events.
8. Play "Count the Typos"
7. Make a big paper boat and sail it across Mirror Lake.
6. Make a big paper hat and look like a dweeb.
5. Cut out all the comics, put them in a scrapbook, and enjoy them again and again.
4. Count how many times news about the next Dag deadline has been used to fill blank spaces.
3. Try to figure out who wrote every "Three Lines Free" in one issue, get them to autograph it, and then frame it and hang it on your wall as a tribute to how much time you have to waste.
2. Keep them in mint condition, and in 10 years, sell them to the legions of Stone Henge fans for a hundred bucks each.
1. Dig out the crayons and go nuts!

Top 10 Reasons Why Reg & Neal Should Be RA's...

10. To test the response time for the Camrose EMS.
9. To lead and to serve.
8. If the RA's can...
7. We dig it.
6. Chicks dig it.
5. Reg is the most tolerant person I know.
4. Neal should be in charge of developing impressionable minds.
3. We could get that key-on-the-chain-thing, and go over to West.
2. It's time for a change.
1. Mark digs us.

Top 5 Reasons Why Summer Holidays are Better Than School...

5. Can't get any more issues of the Dag.
4. You don't have to wake up for any of those 8:00 classes.
3. No more pencils, no more books, no more teachers dirty looks...!
2. Your own room.
1. No more cafeteria food!

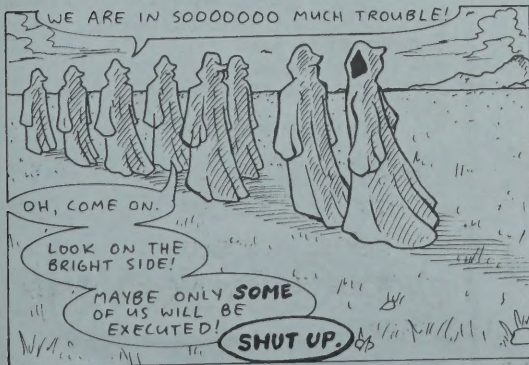
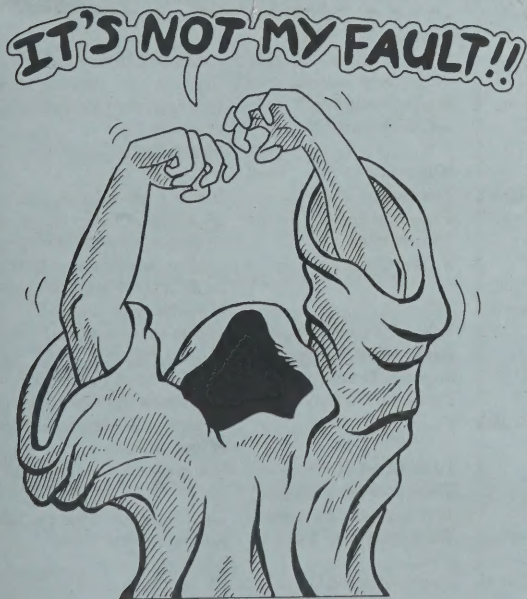
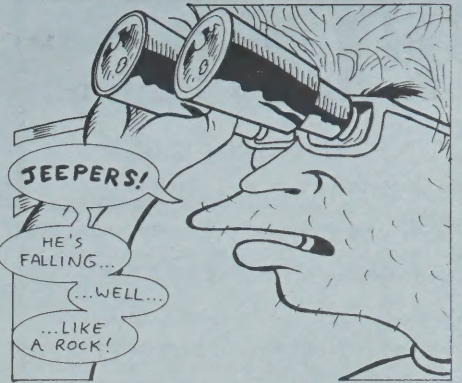
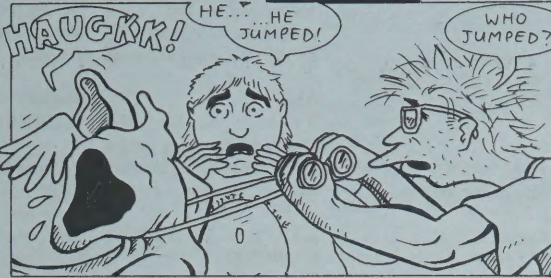
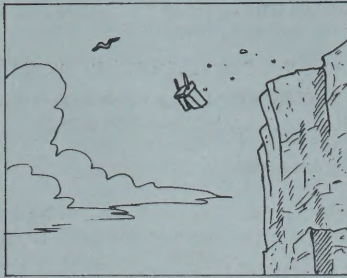
Top 5 Reasons Why School is Better Than Summer Holidays...

5. Access to e-mail.
4. No parents.
3. The bars are busy-- PARTY!!
2. There's always homework to keep you busy.
1. Your friends live right next door.

STONE HENGE

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TLF--

Hopefully, you'll be hooting on Fri. the 29th, because I want to be pretty twittered and pretty pated too.
Guess Who?

Twitter.
I'll make sure that his heart is safely kept in your land. The Keeper of the Sacred Hearts.

Happy Birthday Deena-- 'hope it's a good one!
Luv, 'the girls!

50 Foot Woman
Stealing pictures? YOU??
Never!
Love, Hootie and the Blowfish

Terry.
Get out of the ditch, it's time to go to the bar.
Clarence

BC
Hey boyfriend!
Rollerblading will have to wait, but coffee is still alright.
From 'You Only Know'

Viscini.
Have I gone mad, or did the word 'think' escape your lips?
--50 Foot Woman

To GM, HH, and SC
Best Formal ever! Big Knos and a warm fuzzy to all who worked on it, especially you 3
OJ

Le-Mail Members.
Thanx for a great year! Hope we can continue this next year! Keep in touch.
--Tater Tot

Knees of Jelly.
Maybe your fly guy will take you up on that dance. It could happen.
--Lint Picker

AH
Care for a jaunt?
NS

TW (aka 5 Foot Woman)
Wanna take a road trip to Wetaskiwin??? Thanks for everything.
Love, AF & SB

BG
You big piece of cheese! We'll miss you at the center of the universe!

Viscini
Remember 2 important items:
1. Never get involved in a land war in Asia
2. Never mess with a Ciscilian

when death is on the line.
'53

MP
Party tonight? I think so!
luv, X-Roomie.

Debbie G.
Your (yellow) toupee + fly-guy's big hair = the resurgence of the afro generation!
Love, Shirley T. & Cutie.

If anyone has seen Terry, please contact the Search for Terry Foundation.
--President of the Search for Terry Foundation.

SANTA
April 12 & 13: be ready for a night of dares, pizza, face masks, boy stories, Fast Times at Ridgemont High...
Sgt. Brown Owl & the Aquatic Being.

Thanx to everyone...for making the year special for me.
OJ

Agent 53
It sounds pretty dangerous in your department with all those BLIBIGIGANS from GAGGIBLIBBY. I wonder

if they ever get tongue-tied?
Sincerely TWTRPTD.

Queen Dew,
Merci for a fab year-- camping sometime soon?
Your fellow royal highness.

AMF
'Found your car OK?
'Amazing how they have a way of disappearing like that!
AH

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
NANETTE!

SANTA
Get your drool buckets ready. One night soon we are having a Harrison-athon.

Hey Terry:
You can pick up the keg at Harleighs tomorrow.
Clarence

Agent 53...
How many times can hermaphrodites freeze their toes before they fall off? --
"Can I put my feet in some warm water?"
Love, The Mink Oil Beauties.

LR
Can YOU draw a donkey?
NS

To AS, MW, KL, EP.
Good luck, and congratulations on your new jobs! I'm around if you need me next year.
OJ

Aquatic Being,
Your sources are wrong. I AM NOT AGENT 492.
'53.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
NANETTE!

Squirt,
For future reference...mixing milk and jokes together is a definite no!
--Soaked

TG
Don't cry, Lester will be with you momentarily.
NS

Wheresh Terry?

Twitterpated,
In the end, Madame Estella is always correct.

Cornflake,
You are the wind beneath my wings! Hee Hee. Keep in touch girl!
--Tater Tot

To our friend drugged on eucalyptus...
Those late night encounters with a flat-tailed rodent getting too hard on you?
Love, Hootie and the Blowfish

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
NANETTE!

To the other Buttercup (not SRB)
Your new name can be...
Honeymuffin!
Sunshine.

Hootie,
You know, it is OK to be vertically challenged.
--50 Foot Woman

TF
Say "Cheezie!"
NS

Twitterpated...
We heard fly-guy goes for green faces (not to mention bad hair days, eh?)
Love, Hootie and the Blowfish.

Happy Birthday Terry.
Have a good one buddy.
Sonny.

VISCINI,
The thought of the big 'S.C.' separating is INCONCEIVABLE!
Please stay close, Oh king over all who frustrate me. Do you, like, get it?
Signed, TWITTER.

"I survived without soap my Freshman year"
--Kris McBurney.

Anyone who read Stonehenge.
Hope you enjoyed it, see you next year.
Virtual Comics.

AS
When is the shoe convention going to disperse? The members are starting to multiply.
TL

To all of 1st West:
Thanks for the great year! You guys are awesome-- We'll miss you folks so much!
Luv, Avalee and Cori

Tim S.
So glad we met. You mean the world to me. I will miss you.
Love, Tater Tot.

Hey Sharifa!
Share Monty with the rest of us, 'will ya?

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
NANETTE!

AF
Let that wonderful personality of yours shine through.
TL

KL
You might have the big desk, but now the big office is ALL MINE!!! Good luck with your new job.
AH

To all hu want to kno,
Isen't Avalee the bestest noospapper editor in the world? The Clever Shark.

50 ft. Woman
BEWARE OF RED! It looks like we're surrounded.
(Subtle).
Love, TWITTER.

LP
You have really smelly... onion breath!
CK

AF
Be patient, there's an Aladdin out there for you.
Misery Loves Company.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
NANETTE! (And look! You didn't even have to put these in!)

Amanda & Erin,
Thanx for allowing me to be your 3rd roommate! I will miss you guys.
--Tater Tot

If ever I laid eyes on a more beautiful aquatic being, it would be a blowfish. My fellow spoon announcer, QUIT HOGGING THE MIC! FLOSS M is still on the loose.
The Twitterpated One

To all the staff of Res Life.
It has been an awesome year! You are all great people! Best of luck in the future.
Cori Kay.

The Daglightale... We put the stars in the sky!

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What an incredibly kind and spunky number.
53.

Keep posted in September for the next Dag Deadline!

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